

**PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER**  
(Small Entity)

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**TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS**

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Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111 and 37 C.F.R. 1.53 is the patent application of:

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For: Simplified Sealing of Optoelectronic Transceiver Modules

Enclosed are:

Certificate of Mailing with Express Mail Mailing Label No. VE 200255918 US  
 Five (5) sheets of drawings.  
 A certified copy of a application.  
 Declaration  Signed.  Unsigned.  
 Power of Attorney  
 Information Disclosure Statement  
 Preliminary Amendment  
 Small entity status *asserted*  
 Other: Acknowledgment Postcard

**CLAIMS AS FILED**

| For   | #Filed                              | #Allowed | #Extra | Rate                    | Fee               |
|---|-------------------------------------|----------|--------|-------------------------|-------------------|
| Total Claims                                    | 79                                  | - 20 =   | 59     | × \$9.00                | \$531.00          |
| Indep. Claims                                   | 6                                   | - 3 =    | 3      | × \$42.00               | \$126.00          |
| Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |          |        |                         | \$140.00          |
|   |                                     |          |        | <b>BASIC FEE</b>        | <b>\$375.00</b>   |
|   |                                     |          |        | <b>TOTAL FILING FEE</b> | <b>\$1,172.00</b> |

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